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SUBJECT: GREAT LAKES PILOTAGE

DOT PASS UNDERSECRETARY BARNUM AND DR. TRILLING

REF: OTTAWA 641

FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF ARTICLE FROM TORONTO GLOBE AND MAIL  
OF FEB 27:

BEGIN TEXT. PILOTAGE OFFICIALS OF THE U.S. AND CANADIAN  
GOVERNMENTS HAVE BEEN MEETING IN THE PAST FEW WEEKS AND AN  
AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE TWO GOVERNMENTS ON THE DIVISION OF  
RESPONSIBILITY FOR PILOTAGE IN THE GREAT LAKES IS EXPECTED  
SOON.

DISPUTES BETWEEN THE U.S. AND CANADIAN PILOTS, PARTICULARLY  
IN THE LAKE ERIE-DETROIT RIVER AREA, DIRUPTED NAVIGATION  
LAST SUMMER. A STRIKE BY CANADIAN PILOTS INTHE REGION OVER  
THE SPLIT OF WORK FINALLY ENDED ON THE UNDERSTANDING  
THAT A SOLUTION TO THE PROBLEM WOULD BE FOUND DURING THE  
WINTER.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE SHIPPING INDUSTRY EXPRESSED  
SATISFACTION THAT AGREEMENT APPARENTLY WILL BE REACHED  
"AT LEAST FOR THIS YEAR" BY THE TIME NAVIGATION IN  
THE SYSTEM BEGINS THIS SPRING, POSSIBLY BY NEXT WEEK.

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END TEXT.

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